would be unable to comply with this requirement.

- 4. Section 17(b) of the Act provides that the SEC will exempt a proposed transaction from section 17(a) if evidence establishes that: (a) the terms of the proposed transaction are reasonable and fair and do not involve overreaching; (b) the proposed transaction is consistent with the policies of the registered investment company involved; and (c) the proposed transaction is consistent with the general purposes of the Act. As noted above, section 6(c) of the Act provides that the SEC may exempt classes of transactions if the exemption is necessary or appropriate in the public interest, and consistent with the protection of investors and the purposes fairly intended by the policy and provisions of the Act. Applicants request relief under sections 6(c) and 17(b) to permit a Rollover Trust Series to sell Equity Securities to a New Trust Series and to permit the New Trust Series to purchase the Equity Securities.
- 5. Applicants state that the proposed transactions satisfy the standards of sections 6(c) and 17(b). Applicants represent that purchases and sales between Trust Series will be consistent with the policy of each Trust Series. Applicants further state that permitting the proposed transactions would result in savings on brokerage fees for the Trust Series.
- 6. Applicants state that the condition that the Equity Securities must be actively traded on an Exchange or the Nasdaq-NMS protects against overreaching. In addition, applicants state that the Sponsor will certify to the Trustee, within five days of each sale of Equity Securities from a Rollover Trust Series to a New Trust Series: (a) that the transaction is consistent with the policy of both the Rollover Trust Series and the New Trust Series, as recited in their respective registration statements and reports filed under the Act, (b) the date of the transaction, and (c) the closing sales price on the Exchange or on the Nasdaq-NMS for the sale date of the Equity Securities. The Trustee will then countersign the certificate, unless, in the unlikely event that the Trustee disagrees with the closing sales listed on the certificate, the Trustee immediately informs the Sponsor orally of any such disagreement and returns the certificate within five days to the Sponsor with corrections duly noted. Upon the

Sponsor's receipt of a corrected certificate, if the Sponsor can verify the corrected price by reference to an independently published list of closing sales prices for the date of the transactions, the Sponsor will ensure that the price of the units of the new Trust Series, and distributions to holders of the Rollover Trust Series. accurately reflect the corrected price. To the extent that the Sponsor disagrees with the Trustee's corrected price, the Sponsor and the Trustee will jointly determine the correct sales price by reference to a mutually agreeable, independently published list of closing sales prices for the date of the transaction.

Applicants' Conditions

Applicants agree that the order granting the requested relief will be subject to the following conditions:

A. Purchases of Stocks of Securities Related Issuers in Excess of Rule 12d3– 1 Limits

No company held in a Defined Ten Series portfolio or a Defined Five Series portfolio, nor any affiliate of the company, will act as broker for any Defined Ten Series or any Defined Five Series in the purchase or sale of any security for the Series' portfolio.

- B. Purchases and Sales Between Trust Series
- 1. Each sale of Equity Securities by a Rollover Trust Series to a New Trust Series will be effected at the closing price of the Equity Securities sold on the applicable Exchange or the Nasdaq-NMS on the sale date, without any brokerage charges or other remuneration except customary transfer fees, if any.
- 2. The nature and conditions of the transactions will be fully disclosed to investors in the prospectus of each Rollover Trust Series and New Trust Series.
- 3. The Trustee of each Rollover Trust Series and New Trust Series will: (a) review the procedures relating to the sale of securities from a Rollover Trust Series and the purchase of those securities for deposit in a New Trust Series, and (b) make such changes to the procedures as the Trustee deems necessary that are reasonably designed to comply with paragraphs (a) through (d) of rule 17a–7.
- 4. A written copy of these procedures and a written record of each transaction

pursuant to the order will be maintained as provided in rule 17a–7(f).

For the SEC, by the Division of Investment Management, under delegated authority.

Jonathan G. Katz,

Secretary.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the Government in the Sunshine Act, Pub. L. 94–409, that the Securities and Exchange Commission will hold the following meeting during the week of November 9, 1998.

A closed meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 10, 1998, at 11:00 a.m.

Commissioners, Counsel to the Commissioners, the Secretary to the Commission, and recording secretaries will attend the closed meeting. Certain staff members who have an interest in the matters may also be present.

The General Counsel of the Commission, or his designee, has certified that, in his opinion, one or more of the exemptions set forth in 5 U.S.C. 552b(c) (4), (8), (9)(A) and (10) and 17 CFR 200.402(a) (4), (8), (9)(i) and (10), permit consideration of the scheduled matters at the closed meeting.

Commissioner Hunt, as duty officer, voted to consider the items listed for the closed meeting in a closed session.

The subject matter of the closed meeting scheduled for Tuesday, November 10, 1998, at 11:00 a.m., will be:

Institution and settlement of injunctive actions

Institution and settlement of administrative proceedings of an enforcement nature.

At times, changes in Commission priorities require alterations in the scheduling of meeting items. For further information and to ascertain what, if any, matters have been added, deleted or postponed, please contact: The Office of the Secretary at (202) 942–7070.

Dated: November 2, 1998.

Jonathan G. Katz.

Secretary.

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